

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA  
ABSTRACT

T.S. Forest (Conservation) Act – Diversion of **0.508 ha** of forest land in WLM Division Eturnagaram forest division in Bhupalpally, Jayashanker District for laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way in favour of M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited – Permission accorded – Orders - issued.

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ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOG (FOR.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 20

Dated: 01-04-2019

Read the following:-

1. GOI, MoEF&CC (WL Division), New Delhi, Lr.No.6-175/2017, Dt.13.02.2018.
2. From the PCCF (HoFF), TS, Hyd., Lr.No.11141/2017/FCA-1, Dt.15.02.2019.

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ORDER:

In his letter 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad has requested the Government for diversion of **0.508 ha** of forest land in WLM Division Eturnagaram forest division in Bhupalpally, Jayashanker District, for laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way, in favour of M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited.

2. Government, after careful examination of the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad, and in the light of the guidelines issued by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment of Forests & Climate Change (Wildlife Division) in the letter 1<sup>st</sup> read above and as per the recommendations of the Standing Committee of NBWL in its 45<sup>th</sup> and 46<sup>th</sup> meetings, hereby accord permission to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telagana State, Hyderabad, for diversion of **0.508 ha** of forest land in WLM Division Eturnagaram forest division in Bhupalpally, Jayashanker District, for laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way, in favour of M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, subject to fulfillment of the following parameters / conditions:-

- (i) The size of the trench will not exceed more than 2.0 m depth and 1.0 m width;
- (ii) The user agency agrees to make good the land after use / maintenance;
- (iii) The user agency agrees to make good any loss to forest / environment;
- (iv) The user agency seeks permission form the State Forest Department for carrying out any maintenance;
- (v) The diameter of drinking water pipeline will not exceed 4 inches in diameter.
- (vi) No civil structures will be built with the laying of drinking water pipeline and optical fiber cable;
- (vii) The user agency will have to submit NOC from the agency which holds the right to use the right of way;

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- (viii) It shall be ensured that the length of the length of trench dug at a time does not exceed 500 m filled up and compacted before digging next stretch of 500 m;
  - (ix) The time frame for completing of work of on laying of drinking water pipeline and optical fiber cables within the PAs after taking into account all the factors/issues involves in the work; shall be as per the suggestion of the State Board for Wildlife.
  - (x) The user agency shall provide water supply points within the Pas if demanded by the Chief Wildlife Warden or in-charge of PA but no more than per sq.km;
  - (xi) This approval shall be valid for five years till 31.12.2023;
  - (xii) A monthly progress report on the extent of the forestland diverted for such purpose to the Ministry as well as the concerned Regional Offices, will be submitted.
3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

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To  
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF),  
Telangana State, Hyderabad.

**Copy to:**

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//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER